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**MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY**

**ORDER**

**IMPORT TRADE CONTROL**

*New Delhi, the 27th December 1954*

**No. 16/54.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 4A of the Import and Export (Control) Act, 1947 (XVIII of 1947), and in supersession of Notifications of the Government of India in the late Ministry of Commerce Nos. 39-ITC/49, and 40-ITC/49, dated the 31st December 1949, No. 11-ITC/52, dated 11th October, 1952, 7-ITC/53, dated 26th February, 1953, and the Order No. 9/54, dated 27th August, 1954, relating to the levy and refund of fees, the Central Government hereby prescribe, the fees and the refund thereof specified in the Table annexed hereto, for any application for the grant of an import licence received after the 31st day of December 1954 in the office of the Chief Controller of Imports or other import licensing authorities specified in the Notification of the Government of India in the late Department of Commerce No. 23-ITC/43, dated 1st July, 1943, as amended from time to time.

**TABLE**

Particulars	Amount of fees
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1. Application for the grant of an import licence where the value of the goods specified in the application does not exceed Rs. 5,000 . . . . .	Rs. 10
Provided that no fees shall be leviable on any such application if the value of the goods specified in the application does not exceed Rs. 100 and if the import of the goods is required for the personal consumption of the applicant for purposes not connected with trade or manufacture.	
2. Application for the grant of an import licence where the value of the goods specified in the application does not exceed Rs. 10,000. . . . .	15

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3. Application for the grant of an import licence where the value of the goods specified in the application does not exceed Rs. 25,000	Rs. 30
4. Application for the grant of an import licence where the value of the goods specified in the application does not exceed Rs. 50,000	50
5. Application for the grant of an import licence where the value of the goods specified in the application does not exceed Rs. 1,00,000.	75
6. Application for the grant of an import licence where the value of the goods specified in the application exceeds Rs. 1,00,000. (for every Rs. 50,000 or part thereof in excess of Rs. 1,00,000, subject to a maximum of Rs. 250.)	75 Plus 25

Note.—No fee shall be leviable in respect of an application for the grant of an import licence when the import is to be made direct and not through any other agency and the application is made by—

- (a) the Central Government, a State Government or the Government of an Acceding State or any Department or office thereof;
- (b) any local Authority for import of goods required for its own consumption;
- (c) any educational or charitable institution for import of goods required for its own consumption;
- (d) any person, for import of his private and personal baggage, accompanied or unaccompanied for which the applicant has, under the regulation in force for the time being, to take out an import licence but in respect of which no remittance of foreign exchange has to be made.

2. For the purpose of collection of fees, the following instructions are given for general information:—

- (i) The prescribed fee shall be deposited at any Government Treasury or office of the Imperial Bank of India or the Reserve Bank of India transacting the business of the Central Government for credit to the Central Government under a separate head "Import licence Fees" subordinate to the major head XLVI-Miscellaneous. The treasury or bank receipt should show particulars of the application for the grant of import licence, namely description of goods and value applied for, and should be attached to the application before submitting the same to the proper authority and the application should also contain details of the treasury receipt under which the requisite fee has been deposited.
- (ii) No applications will be entertained which are not accompanied by such proof of payment of the fee prescribed under this order.

3. Except as specified below, the fee once received will not be refunded under any circumstances:—

- (i) where the fee has been deposited in excess of the prescribed scale.
- (ii) where the fee has been deposited but no application has been made.
- (iii) where the fee has been deposited and the application has been made but the item to which the application relates is placed on an Open General Licence on or after the date of application.
- (iv) where fee has been deposited in error but the applicant is exempt from payment of licence fee and;
- (v) where the fee has been deposited and the application made but the policy governing the issue of import licences has been changed subsequent to the date of application, thereby rendering the application ineligible for the grant of licence.

*Note.*—Applications for refund of Import licence fees will be dealt with in Port Offices, within whose jurisdiction the fee was paid. The territorial jurisdiction of the various offices in the Import organisation has been set out in Section I of the current Red Book. Claims admitted for refund will be prepared in Form T.R. 41 with necessary authorisation by the respective Port Officers and sent to the firm concerned to be presented after being duly signed, at the Bank/Treasury where the fee had been originally paid in.

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